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Search Notes

Dear **Kevin Siangchin**

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SEARCH REQUEST FORM

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 Art Unit: 2623 Phone Number: 315-7569 Serial Number: 7013-2000 09974898
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Title of Invention: _____

Inventors (please provide full names): _____

Earliest Priority Filing Date: 10-13-2000

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Kiosk - ATM machine

person's face

Stored images template

* Claim 24 - "not suitable" → not acceptable
 doesn't match any registered images

no match → of last photo uses motion detection photos

fn id.

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S3	223300	S2 AND (PERSON?? OR INDIVIDUAL? OR EMPLOYEE??)
S4	40433	S3 AND (CAPTUR? OR DETECT? OR RECEIV? OR TAKE)
S5	1181281	CHECKPOINT OR SECURITY()CHECK? OR ENTER? OR EXIT? OR ENTRANCE
S6	1631184	ROOM OR BUILDING OR DOORWAY
S7	15679	KIOSK?? OR (ATM OR TELLER)(3N)MACHINE?
S8	14274	(SENSING OR SENSES OR SENSOR? OR DETECT?) AND (MOTION?? OR MOVEMENT?? OR MOVING) AND (PERSON?? OR INDIVIDUAL? OR EMPLOYEE??)
S9	2391	S8 AND (APPROACH? OR WALK?)
S10	260321	BUTTON? OR TOGGLE OR LATCH OR SWITCH OR KEYPAD OR (KEY OR - NUMBER) () (PAD OR PANEL) OR NUMBERPAD
S11	66915	(PUSH OR PRESS OR ACTIVAT OR INITIAL OR OPERAT?) AND S10
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S13	3545	(SNAP??? OR TAKE??)(1N)(PICTURE OR PHOTO OR PHOTOGRAPH)
S14	4752	(COMPAR? OR MATCH? OR CORRESPOND? OR CORRELAT?) AND S8
S15	1309030	TEMPLATE? OR STORED OR STORAGE OR REGISTRATION OR MEMORIED
S16	63538	(PLURAL? OR MANY OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR MULTI OR MULTIPLE)(3N)S2
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S47	3	RD S46 (unique items)

20/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 35)
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Hand tracking, finger identification, and chordic manipulation on a multi-touch surface

Author: Westerman, Wayne Carl
Degree: Ph.D.
Year: 1999
Corporate Source/Institution: University of Delaware (0060)
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ISBN: 0-493-28162-2

...identifying multiple finger and palm contacts as hands approach, touch, and slide across a proximity- **sensing** multi-touch surface (MTS). Though MTS proximity **images** exhibit special topological characteristics such as absence of background clutter, techniques such as bootstrapping from...

...overcome the invisibility of structures linking fingertips to palms. Context-dependent segmentation of each proximity **image** constructs and parameterizes pixel groups **corresponding** to each distinguishable surface contact. Path-tracking links across successive **images** those groups which **correspond** to the same hand part, reliably **detecting** touchdown and liftoff of **individual** fingers. Combinatorial optimization algorithms use biomechanical constraints and anatomical features to associate each contact's...

...more advanced devices for bimanual and high degree-of-freedom (DOF) manipulation have failed to **enter** the mainstream due to awkward integration with text entry devices. This work introduces a novel input integration technique which reserves synchronized **motions** of multiple fingers on the MTS for multi-DOF gestures and hand resting, leaving asynchronous...

...taps on the MTS to be recognized as typing on a QWERTY key layout. The **operator** can then **switch** instantaneously between typing and several 4-DOF graphical manipulation channels with a simple change in hand configuration. This integration technique depends upon reliable **detection** of synchronized finger touches, extraction of independent hand translation, scaling, and rotational velocities, and the aforementioned finger and hand identifications. The MTS optimizes ergonomics by eliminating redundant pointing and homing **motions**, minimizing device activation force without removing support for resting hands, and distributing tasks evenly over...
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DIALOG(R)File 2:INSPEC

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6594802 INSPEC Abstract Number: B2000-06-6135E-132, C2000-06-5260B-420

Title: Automatic detection and tracking of human heads using an active stereo vision system

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Abstract: A head tracking algorithm for automatically **detecting** and tracking human heads in complex backgrounds is proposed. By using an elliptical model for the human head, our maximum likelihood (ML) head **detector** can reliably locate human heads in **images** having complex backgrounds and is relatively insensitive to illumination and rotation of the human heads. Our head **detector** consists of two channels: the horizontal and the vertical channels. Each channel is implemented by multiscale **template matching**. Using a hierarchical structure in implementing our head **detector**, the execution time for **detecting** the human heads in a 512*512 **image** is about 0.02 second in a Sparc 20 workstation (not including the time for **image** acquisition). Based on the ellipse-based ML head **detector**, we have developed a head tracking method that can monitor the **entrance** of a **person**, **detect** and track the **person**'s head, and then control the stereo cameras to focus their gaze on this **person**'s head. In this method, the ML head **detector** and the mutually-supported constraint are used to extract the **corresponding** ellipses in a stereo **image** pair. To implement a practical and reliable face **detection** and tracking system, further verification using facial features, such as eyes, mouth and nostrils, may be essential. The 3D position computed from the centers of the two **corresponding** ellipses is then used for fixation. An active stereo head has been used to perform...

...Descriptors: **motion** estimation...

...stereo **image** processing

Identifiers: automatic **detection** ; ...

...maximum likelihood **detector** ; ...

...multiscale **template matching** ; ...

...stereo **image** pair...

...face **detection** ;

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Title: Automatic detection and tracking of human heads using an active stereo vision system

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...Identifiers--HUMAN FACE **DETECTION**; **MOTION**; **EXTRACTION**; **OBJECTS**

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Facial expression analysis and synthesis for model based coding

Author: Yin, Lijun

Degree: Ph.D.

Year: 2000

Corporate Source/Institution: University of Alberta (Canada) (0351)

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The growing interest in video communication in areas such as education, **entertainment**, and business (videoconferencing) makes video

compression an inexhaustible research topic. The greater the prior knowledge of objects there is in the **image** explored, the less the amount of information to be transmitted. Model-based coding is just...

...a new approach to automatically generate a 3D facial model is presented, in which an **individual** 3D facial model is constructed by fitting a generic head model to front and side views of a **person**'s head.

(2) Facial feature shape **detection** : a color-based deformable **template** feature **detection** with active tracking is proposed. The method is the first attempt to incorporate the facial feature **detection** with tracking by an active camera. (3) Physics-based coarse-to-fine model adaptation...

...tracking the facial expression accurately. There are two steps consisting of physics-based dynamic mesh **matching** and energy-oriented mesh fitting. This method overcomes the convergence problem of the numerical solution for the elastic **motion** . (4) Active texture **detection** , compression, and synthesis for producing a realistic face: a partial active texture up date scheme...
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Title: A simple way to take pictures during endoscopic procedures
Author(s): Truzzi JC (REPRINT) ; Bruschini H; Simonetti R; Andreoni C;
Ortiz V; Srougi M
Corporate Source: Univ Fed Sao Paulo, Div Urol, Sao Paulo//Brazil/ (REPRINT);
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Journal: JOURNAL OF UROLOGY, 2004, V171, N1 (JAN), P327-328
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Publisher: LIPPINCOTT WILLIAMS & WILKINS, 530 WALNUT ST, PHILADELPHIA, PA
19106-3621 USA
Language: English Document Type: EDITORIAL MATERIAL (ABSTRACT AVAILABLE
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...Abstract: We describe a new method of taking pictures from endoscopic
images using a digital photo **camera** coupled to the endoscopic lens
without an adapter.

Materials and Methods: We used a digital **camera** with 3.3
megapixel resolution and 6 X optical zoom. The **camera** was coupled to
the endoscopic lens with no special adapter. The image was accompanied
through the LCD (liquid crystal display) visor, and the **picture** was
taken with the flash **button** on and with no macro resource. The image
was then enlarged by optical and digital zoom before being easily
stored in photo files at the personal computer.

Results: The quality of the photos obtained by...

...method was at least similar to that of traditional photos, and the data
were promptly **stored** .

Conclusions: We describe a simple method of taking pictures from
endoscopic images with the additional...

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**Digital camera shootout -- How many MacHomies does it take to snap a
picture ?**

Brundage, Sandy
MacHome , April 1, 2001 , v9 n4 p18-20, 3 Page(s)
ISSN: 1074-0392
Company Name: Canon; Kodak; Nikon; Olympus
Product Name: Canon PowerShot S100; Kodak DC 3400; Nikon CoolPix 880;
Olympus D-360L

**Digital camera shootout -- How many MacHomies does it take to snap a
picture ?**

Presents a buyers' guide to four digital **cameras** and evaluates them to
see if they can be used straight from the box with no instructions.
Cameras discussed include: PowerShot S100 (\$599), from Canon, controls
were confusing yet it was compact with...

... really intuitive; and the D-360L (\$299), from Olympus, was difficult to

figure out the **buttons** yet a scroll down screen allowed the user to look at saved images easily. Says...

...no clear winner. Says it is important to know the look and feel of a **camera** when selecting the best one so it is important to go to the store for some hands-on time with the **cameras** before selecting one for purchase. Defines terms such as megapixel, digital zoom, optical zoom, resolution, **storage** media, and flash modes. Includes five photos and one sidebar. (bjp)

Descriptors: Digital **Camera** ; User Interface

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Polaroid enters digital camera market with flash -- The PDC-2000 produces high-quality images, but there are some problems to work around

Fraser, Bruce

MacWEEK , April 29, 1996 , v10 n17 p33-34, 2 Page(s)

ISSN: 0892-8118

Company Name: Polaroid

Product Name: Polaroid PDC-2000

Polaroid enters digital camera market with flash -- The PDC-2000 produces high-quality images, but there are some problems...

Presents a favorable review of the PDC-2000 (\$3,695) digital **camera** from Polaroid Corporation of Cambridge, MA (617, 800). Reports that the PDC-2000 is an auto-focus, auto-exposure point-and-shoot **camera** with a fixed lens. Features the ability to capture images at 800-by-600 or 1,600-by-1,200 resolution. Remarks that the size and shape of the **camera** , as well as its basic controls, make it easy to use. Calls its captured images ``exceptionally clean,`` with very little loss of color, as is often found with digital **cameras** . However, complains about its inability to recognize the on/off **switch** as well as its poorly designed viewfinder. Criticizes its lack of a capture preview and its **storage** delay when a **picture** is **taken** . Concludes that it is ``a remarkable piece of work.`` Overall rating: four out of five...

Descriptors: Digital **Camera** ; Image Processing; Hardware Evaluation; Photography; Hardware Review

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07467495 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 441472221

Photo Services Cheaper for the Holidays

Musgrove, Mike

Washington Post, p F.07

Nov 9, 2003

ISSN: 0190-8286

NEWSPAPER CODE: TWP

DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature; Newspaper article

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

...ABSTRACT: snapfish.com) and Kodak-owned Ofoto (www.ofoto.com) -- each offers free Web space, where **picture - takers** can park photos for friends and family to see. Each service lets Web surfers use the **storage** space in the hope that, when they want some prints of that birthday party, they'll then click on the "order prints" **button** and break out the credit

card. A single 4-by-6 print cost around 49...

...DESCRIPTORS: Digital cameras ;

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Not exactly picture perfect Kodak digital cameras among best around but very expensive

Garfinkel, Simson L

Boston Globe, Sec D, p 4, col 2

Apr 8, 1999

ISSN: 0743-1791 NEWSPAPER CODE: BG

DOCUMENT TYPE: Product Review-Comparative; Newspaper

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

LENGTH: Long (18+ col inches)

Not exactly picture perfect Kodak digital cameras among best around but very expensive

ABSTRACT: The big advantage of a digital camera is that the instant you snap the picture , you can take the image into your computer. Once there, you can put the image...

...it to a friend, or electronically retouch it. The second big advantage of a digital camera is storage : You can cram more than 10,000 pictures into a one gigabyte hard drive -- no more bursting binders. But despite the allure of the digital, last year's e- cameras were, for the most part, quite limited. Basically point-and-shoot devices, these cameras had limited memory. That meant you frequently had to empty the images; they had limited resolution; and they couldn't adequately reproduce detail in bright spots or in shadows. The cameras themselves had few features. Another problem was in the optics: Most of last year's cameras were fixed-focus, which further reduced image quality. Kodak's more-expensive DC265 (\$1,000) camera is loaded with more features, but of course that's what you are paying for...

...little audio note for each photo, and a little speaker to play it back. The camera uses this speaker to make sound effects when you take a photo or click the buttons on the back panel. And one feature that's super cool on the DC265 is that it has a gravity sensor: When you turn the camera sideways, it senses the turn and automatically rotates the image back when the picture is...

DESCRIPTORS: Cameras ;

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Title: SHUTTER LOCK FOR CAMERAS

Authors: Ohmura H; Shirane H

Patent Assignee: FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.

Patent Number: US 4135797 Application Date: 760217

Document Type: Patent

Language: unspecified

Title: SHUTTER LOCK FOR CAMERAS

Abstract: WHEN A PHOTOGRAPHIC **CAMERA** IS SET TO **TAKE A PICTURE** USING A STROBO, DEPRESSION OF A SHUTTER RELEASE **BUTTON** OF THE **CAMERA** IS PREVENTED UNTIL THE CHARGE **STORED** IN A CAPACITOR FOR THE STROBO REACHES A REQUIRED LEVEL TO FLASH A STROBO DISCHARGE...

... LEVER IS LOCATED AT A LOCK POSITION WHERE IT PREVENTS DEPRESSION OF THE SHUTTER RELEASE **BUTTON** WHEN THE **CAMERA** IS SET TO **TAKE A PICTURE** USING THE STROBO, AND IS HELD IN THE LOCK POSITION UNTIL THE ELECTRIC CHARGE **STORED** IN THE CAPACITOR REACHES THE REQUIRED LEVEL BY THE ATTRACTIVE FORCE OF AN ELECTROMAGNET OF...

... TO A RELEASE POSITION BY A SPRING FORCE, WHEREBY THE DEPRESSION OF THE SHUTTER RELEASE **BUTTON** IS ALLOWED.

Section Headings: **CAMERAS** AND ENLARGERS (6013)

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Two New Sony Designs: A Shutterbug's Laptop And a Stylish Desktop

Mossberg, Walter S

Wall Street Journal, Sec B, p 1, col 1

Feb 18, 1999

ISSN: 0099-9660 NEWSPAPER CODE: WSJ

DOCUMENT TYPE: Commentary; Newspaper

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

LENGTH: Long (18+ col inches)

...ABSTRACT: in front of the screen but what's behind it. Atop the keyboard is a **button** labeled "capture." When you **press** that **button**, no matter what other software is running, the PictureBook **snaps** a **picture** and immediately displays it. With the click of an on-screen icon, it will then...

...more than adequate for most e-mail, Web sites and documents like newsletters. And by **building** in the camera, Sony has solved the vexing problem of getting images into a PC...

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The Statue of Liberty, Central Park and Me

Botha, Ted

New York Times, Sec 5, p 35, col 1

Feb 21, 1999

ISSN: 0362-4331 NEWSPAPER CODE: NY

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LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

LENGTH: Long (18+ col inches)

...ABSTRACT: the slide show will suddenly materialize. And there, between the shots of the Empire State **Building**, Animal Kingdom and people bustling down Fifth Ave nue, is one of someone you would...

...course will unavoidably end up leading between someone holding a camera and someone having a **photograph taken**. I'll duck or swerve out of the way, which sometimes works, but just as often doesn't. Click! Suddenly, at the **push** of a **button**, I'm captured in the frame. When the photographer gets home, he or she could...

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Darkroom to desktop Jack Schofield reports on the emergence of desktop photography as a business that could eventually be even bigger than desktop publishing

Schofield, Jack

Guardian, Sec ONLINE, p 14, col 1

Mar 20, 1997

ISSN: 0261-3007

NEWSPAPER CODE: MG

DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature; Newspaper

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

LENGTH: Long (18+ col inches)

...ABSTRACT: Eastman, the founder of Kodak, turned photography into a mass market with the slogan: 'You **press** the **button**, we'll do the rest.' But things have changed in the past 109 years, and now you can do it all yourself. You can **take** the **picture** on a digital camera, load it into a personal computer, use software to crop or...

...use an inkjet printer to print it out in glorious photo-quality colour - all without **entering** a darkroom. 'Very few consumers are doing this kind of thing today,' says Peter Davies...

45/3,K/4 (Item 1 from file: 248)

DIALOG(R)File 248:PIRA

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00251575 Pira Acc. Num.: 40500587

Title: AUTOMATIC MICROFILM CAMERA OPERATED RESPONSIVE TO DATA INPUT AT A TERMINAL

Authors: Johnson D R

Patent Assignee: BELL & HOWELL CO.

Patent Number: US 4198157

Application Date: 770216

Document Type: Patent

Language: unspecified

Title: AUTOMATIC MICROFILM CAMERA OPERATED RESPONSIVE TO DATA INPUT AT A TERMINAL

...Abstract: is positioned to take images of a document while it is being read by an **operator** of a computer terminal. The computer generates a computer index number, and perhaps other significant...

... alpha-numerical images within the photographic area adjacent to the copied document. The camera automatically **takes** a **picture** of the document and the display when the **operator** pushes an **Enter** or other appropriate **button** on the computer terminal, thereby photocopying both the document and the displayed images. An important...

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47/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 2)

DIALOG(R)File 2:INSPEC

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03714549 INSPEC Abstract Number: B90064107

Title: The FA-770 multifunction facsimile transceiver for business and personal use

Author(s): Ono, F.; Izumi, N.; Iwao, H. ; Nishiyama, Y.; Ishihara, M.

Author Affiliation: Mitsubishi Electr. Corp., Tokyo, Japan

Journal: Mitsubishi Denki Giho vol.63, no.12 p.50-4

Publication Date: 1989 Country of Publication: Japan

CODEN: MTDNAF ISSN: 0369-2302

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Subfile: B

Title: The FA-770 multifunction facsimile transceiver for business and personal use

Author(s): Ono, F.; Izumi, N.; Iwao, H. ; Nishiyama, Y.; Ishihara, M.

Abstract: MELFAS 700 Series facsimile transceivers for business and personal use feature a B4-size scanner, B4-size recording paper, and a full range of...

... principal measure of fax performance) has been enhanced by the use of a unique text- photo separation function with 32-level gray-scale rendition. The facsimiles also feature a superfine mode...

...Identifiers: text- photo separation function...

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DIALOG(R)File 94:JICST-EPlus

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04819153 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 00A0952042 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E

Access Control System Using Face Recognition Technology. Face Recognition Technology for Access Control.

OKUBO TATSUYA (1); ADACHI SUMIAKI (1); IWAO HIROYUKI (1)

(1) Omron Corp.

Omron Tech, 2000, VOL.40, NO.3, PAGE.202-207

JOURNAL NUMBER: S0266AAU ISSN NO: 0474-1315 CODEN: OMTKA

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OKUBO TATSUYA (1); ADACHI SUMIAKI (1); IWAO HIROYUKI (1)

ABSTRACT: In recent years, many technologies have been developed in order to identify individuals according to the biometric characteristics such as fingerprints, voice, etc. It is said that these technologies are ultimate ways for personal identification because biometric characteristics cannot be forged or exchanged between individuals . We have been studying to develop a system paying specific attention to faces as a...

...elements. People can show their faces to other people with less diffidence. Furthermore, clear face images can be stored, which may deter many types of fraud and crime. We have now...

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DIALOG(R)File 94:JICST-EPlus

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00944393 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 90A0100711 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E
The FA-700 multifunction facsimile transceiver for business and personal use.

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ABSTRACT: MELFAS 700 Series facsimile transceivers for business and
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full range of...

...principal measure of fax performance-has been enhanced by the use of a
unique text- **photo** separation function with 32-level gray-scale
rendition. The facsimiles also feature a superfine mode...

...DESCRIPTORS: **image** quality

BROADER DESCRIPTORS: **picture** communication...

... **image** characteristic

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File 344:Chinese Patents Abs Aug 1985-2004/May
(c) 2004 European Patent Office
File 347:JAPIO Nov 1976-2004/Jun(Updated 041004)
(c) 2004 JPO & JAPIO
File 350:Derwent WPIX 1963-2004/UD,UM &UP=200465
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Set	Items	Description
S1	984729	FACE?? OR VISAGE?? OR FACIAL(3N)FEATURE?
S2	1707215	IMAGE? OR PHOTO OR PHOTOGRAPH? OR PICTURE?
S3	67149	S2 AND (PERSON?? OR INDIVIDUAL? OR EMPLOYEE??)
S4	23875	S3 AND (CAPTUR? OR DETECT? OR RECEIV? OR TAKE)
S5	455574	CHECKPOINT OR SECURITY()CHECK? OR ENTER? OR EXIT? OR ENTRA- NCE
S6	692850	ROOM OR BUILDING OR DOORWAY
S7	7118	KIOSK?? OR (ATM OR TELLER)(3N)MACHINE?
S8	11165	(SENSING OR SENSES OR SENSOR? OR DETECT?) AND (MOTION?? OR MOVEMENT?? OR MOVING) AND (PERSON?? OR INDIVIDUAL? OR EMPLOYE- E??)
S9	494	S8 AND (APPROACH? OR WALK?)
S10	1045098	BUTTON? OR TOGGLE OR LATCH OR SWITCH OR KEYPAD OR (KEY OR - NUMBER)() (PAD OR PANEL) OR NUMBERPAD
S11	461472	(PUSH OR PRESS OR ACTIVAT OR INITIAL OR OPERAT?) AND S10
S12	282237	CAMERA??
S13	4925	(SNAP??? OR TAKE??)(1N)(PICTURE OR PHOTO OR PHOTOGRAPH)
S14	2990	(COMPAR? OR MATCH? OR CORRESPOND? OR CORRELAT?) AND S8
S15	1563952	TEMPLATE? OR STORED OR STORAGE OR REGISTRATION OR MEMORI?ED
S16	61958	(PLURAL? OR MANY OR SEVERAL OR NUMEROUS OR MULTI OR MULTIP- LE)(3N)S2
S17	201	AU=(MIICHI, K? OR IWAO, H? OR MIICHI K? OR IWAO H?)
S18	186846	IC=G06K?
S19	27170	(S5 OR S6) AND ACCESS?
S20	13	S19 AND S13
S21	2	S20 AND S10
S22	11520	(S6 OR S7) AND S11
S23	34	S22 AND S4
S24	0	S23 AND S14
S25	10	S23 AND S15
S26	10	S25 NOT S21
S27	8	S26 NOT AD=20001013:20041014/PR
S28	63	S9 AND S4
S29	3	S28 AND (COMPAR? OR MATCH? OR CORRESPOND? OR CORRELAT?) AND (TEMPLATE? OR STORED OR STORAGE OR REGISTRATION OR MEMORI?ED)
S30	3	S29 NOT (S25 OR S21)
S31	102	S1 AND S4 AND S5
S32	5	S31 AND S11
S33	3	S32 NOT (S29 OR S25 OR S21)
S34	0	S17 AND S4 AND S1
S35	0	S17 AND S14
S36	4	S17 AND S11
S37	4	S36 NOT (S32 OR S29 OR S25 OR S21)
S38	2	ACCESS? AND S6 AND S13
S39	2	S38 NOT (S36 OR S32 OR S29 OR S25 OR S21)
S40	257	S7 AND S11
S41	0	S40 AND CAPTUR? AND S1 AND S2
S42	7	S40 AND S1
S43	0	S42 AND (COMPAR? OR MATCH? OR CORRESPOND? OR CORRELAT?) AND (TEMPLATE? OR STORED OR STORAGE OR REGISTRATION OR MEMORI?ED)
S44	7	S42 NOT (S38 OR S36 OR S32 OR S29 OR S25 OR S21)
S45	5	S44 NOT AD=20001013:20041014/PR
S46	21	S15, AND S16 AND S14

S47	0	S46 AND S11
S48	0	S46 AND (S5 OR S7)
S49	4	S46 AND S18
S50	3	S49 NOT AD=20001013:20041014/PR

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07364474 **Image available**
REMOTE CONTROLLER

PUB. NO.: 2002-232971 [JP 2002232971 A]
PUBLISHED: August 16, 2002 (20020816)
INVENTOR(s): SATO NAKO
APPLICANT(s): RICOH CO LTD
APPL. NO.: 2001-028116 [JP 200128116]
FILED: February 05, 2001 (20010205)

ABSTRACT

... connected to the Internet and desires a picture of a desired WWW site, the user **enters** or selects a URL of the site and the remote controller 4 transmits the information with an infrared ray to a receiver side. The desired **picture** often **takes** much time until it appears and a long waiting time is needed. Then the remote controller 4 starts counting when receiving a WWW site **access** from the user and deactivates functions of operation **buttons** other than 'cancellation' and 'end'. When no desired picture appears even a lapse of a prescribed time, the remote controller 4 informs a user about a state of **access** waiting. A display section 47 visually displays this notice for the user.
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XRPX Acc No: N04-079073

Electronic camera has selection switch to operate between two imaging functionalities that employs sensor for taking picture of scene in imaged field and for data entry responsive to user hand activity

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Inventor: LIEBERMAN K; MAOR Y; SHARON Y
Number of Countries: 105 Number of Patents: 002
Patent Family:

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WO 200403656	A2	20040108	WO 2003IL538	A	20030626	200410 B
AU 2003238660	A1	20040119	AU 2003238660	A	20030626	200447

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2003438327 P 20030107; US 2002392376 P 20020626

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AU 2003238660 A1 G03B-000/00 Based on patent WO 200403656

Electronic camera has selection switch to operate between two imaging functionalities that employs sensor for taking picture of scene in...

Abstract (Basic):

... to provide an output representing an imaged field. Two imaging functionalities employ the sensor to **take** a **picture** of a scene in an imaged field and to **enter** data responsive to user hand activity. An imaging functionality selection **switch** (104) operates between two functionalities.

... reproducing a digital picture. E.g. for use in locking/unlocking of vehicle doors for **access** control. Can also be used with portable telephone, PDA, wrist watch, data input apparatus or...

...The user-operated imaging functionality selection **switch** operates between two functionalities, thereby enabling user to select operation in one of the functionalities...

...User-operated imaging functionality selection **switch** (104...

...Title Terms: **SWITCH** ;

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012689949 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1999-496058/199942
Related WPI Acc No: 1999-183011
XRPX Acc No: N99-369677

Visual axis input and decision transfer device for detecting visual axis of user observing display panel, and inputting detection result of user's visual axis input information for the display panel - has device for notifying user of detection result information indicating visual axis detection success

Patent Assignee: CANON KK (CANO)
Inventor: GOTO H; YOSHIDA M
Number of Countries: 025 Number of Patents: 003
Patent Family:

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EP 942350	A1	19990915	EP 99104935	A	19990312	199942 B
EP 942350	B1	20030205	EP 99104935	A	19990312	200318
DE 69905209	E	20030313	DE 605209	A	19990312	200326
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 9882925 A 19980313

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...has device for notifying user of detection result information indicating visual axis detection success

Abstract (Basic):

... The visual axis **detector** apparatus **detects** a line of sight of a user who faces the video **image** on a display panel and transmits an intent of the user in accordance with the line of sight that is **detected**. An option determination device employs a visual axis position **detected** by the visual axis **detector** to make a selection from the display panel that the user is viewing.

... rotation axes so as to provide a tele-centric prism system that compensates for the **image** focusing and **image** distortion performances. The prism (1003) has a curved structure that includes a basic light axis...

...b) a memory medium on which is **stored** program for **building** visual axis transmission apparatus...

...The invention relates to **detecting** the line of sight (visual axis) from a user to a display panel and for inputting the result of the **detection** of the line of sight as information to be shown on a display panel in...

...The invention enables a seriously physically handicapped **person** who can not depress a foot **button** to easily transmit the determination of a character to be input. A user can confirm the results of a **detection** of the line of sight and can thus avoid having to unnecessarily repeat an **operation** and see an externally input video **image**, while watching a display panel. The user can select one of a number of options by entering the line of sight, while viewing an externally input **image**.

...The drawing shows **personal** computer system with visual axis **detecting** system

...Title Terms: **DETECT** ;

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Visual axis detection computer data input apparatus

Patent Assignee: CANON KK (CANO)

Inventor: GOTO H; YOSHIDA M

Number of Countries: 027 Number of Patents: 007

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EP 903661	A1	19990324	EP 98306814	A	19980826	199916 B
JP 11073274	A	19990316	JP 97244817	A	19970827	199921
JP 11259226	A	19990924	JP 9882925	A	19980313	199951
US 6161932	A	20001219	US 99265587	A	19990310	200102
US 6426740	B1	20020730	US 98140761	A	19980826	200254
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US 6426740 B1 G09G-005/08

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DE 69810557 E G06F-003/00 Based on patent EP 903661

Visual axis detection computer data input apparatus

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 ... rotation axes so as to provide a tele-centric prism system that compensates for the **image** focusing and **image** distortion performances. The prism (1003) has a curved structure that includes a basic light axis...

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 ...The drawing shows **personal** computer system with visual axis **detecting** system
 ...Title Terms: **DETECT** ;

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012152077 **Image available**
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 XRAM Acc No: C98-171100
 XRPX Acc No: N98-442655

Optical memory device including photochromic fluorescent protein - that is switched between states by irradiation at specific wavelength

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 Inventor: CUBITT A B; DICKSON R M; HEIM R; MOERNER W E; TSIEN R Y
 Number of Countries: 081 Number of Patents: 003
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AU 9865810	A	19981111	AU 9865810	A	19980323	199912
US 6046925	A	20000404	US 97839685	A	19970414	200024

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US 6046925	A		G11C-013/04	

Optical memory device including photochromic fluorescent protein...

...Abstract (Basic): Optical memory device includes a **photochromic** fluorescent protein (I) that is convertible from a first state (S1) to a second state...

...wavelength. S1 has an excitation maximum (W1), and both S1 and S2 are stable at **room** temperature...

...at least 4 times that of S1 excited at W2; (2) selecting (I) having improved **photochromic** properties by screening bacteria containing many mutants of (I); (3) nucleic acid (II) encoding (I)...

...USE - (A) are used for **storage** and recovery of information, i.e., by exposure to writing and then reading wavelengths and...

...behaviour of (I) is similar to that of currents through an ion channel, allowing selective **detection** of **individual** molecules and thus a high density of information **storage**. (I) can emit several million photons without photodestruction, even in oxygen-containing surroundings, and permits **operation** of **storage** devices at **room** temperature...

...Title Terms: **PHOTOCHROMIC** ;

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012026879 **Image available**
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XRPX Acc No: N98-346371

Multi-display system for e.g building , hospital, advertisement, hearing impaired - has switching calculation unit that process monitor controlled program based on received control signal, to output analogue image signal on several monitors

Patent Assignee: FUJITSU GENERAL LTD (GENH)
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
JP 10187109	A	19980714	JP 96340809	A	19961220	199838 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 96340809 A 19961220

Patent Details:

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JP 10187109	A	14	G09G-005/00	

Multi-display system for e.g building , hospital, advertisement, hearing impaired...

...has switching calculation unit that process monitor controlled program based on received control signal, to output analogue image signal on several monitors

...Abstract (Basic): The system has several monitors (1) which input an analogue **image** signal from an **image** signal unit. An **image** transmitter (23) sends analogue **image** signal, a code is generated for control and an ID number send for monitor command execution. A synchronous adjustment unit (27) adjust the timing, to synchronised the **image** signal. A frame number generator output a program code and a signal control synthesiser outputs a monitor ID **registration**. A

system memory (31) stores the sequence of **operation** of a transmitter (28) which sends the control signal to a digital control circuit (41...

...A controller (32) controls the whole **operation** by controlling the devices based on the sequence in the system memory. Several **image** input units are connected to the **image** transmitter and several control signal **receivers** are connected to the transmitter. A monitor section of the ID from **image** transmitter stores the **image** signal of an appointed frame number. The switching calculation unit (6) process a monitor control program **stored** on memory (11...

...ADVANTAGE - Provides inexpensive assembly since **personal** computers are not used as monitors...

...Title Terms: **SWITCH** ;

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XRPX Acc No: N97-059140

TV monitoring device for e.g. apartment - has frequency converter which converts very high-frequency modulator output signal, input to individual TV, to frequency for empty channel modulated by ultra high-frequency modulator when sensor outputs signal

Patent Assignee: TSUTEKKU KK (TSUT-N)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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JP 8317087	A	19961129	JP 95141131	A	19950515	199707 B

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JP 8317087	A	8	H04M-011/06	

... **has frequency converter which converts very high-frequency modulator output signal, input to individual TV, to frequency for empty channel modulated by ultra high-frequency modulator when sensor outputs...**

...Abstract (Basic): signal of a camera (6). An ultra high-frequency modulator (10) modulates and outputs an **image** signal **stored** in a frame memory (9) at a frequency for an empty channel. The memory output ...

...a TV (14). A private branch exchange (13) connects the circuit, used in a signal **switch** (12), an intercom (5), and a line wire to a telephone (15...

...The circuit connected to the telephone **detects** the signal circuit or the line wire of the intercom. A sensor inserted between the communal installation of the TV and the **individual** TV outputs the signal corresp. to the **detected** signal circuit of the intercom. The VHF modulator output signal input into the **individual** TV is converted to the modulated frequency for the empty channel from the UHF modulator...

...ADVANTAGE - Does not need exclusive TV for every **room**. Reduces cost and saves **room** spatial. Improves **operation** during attachment of TV monitoring device in apartment. Provides excellent safety since

automatic telephone answering...
...Title Terms: **INDIVIDUAL** ;

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XRPX Acc No: N96-048850

Data collection system w.r.t. received transmitted programme material -
comprises collection units distributed to remote participants, contg.
device e.g. switch for registering response data on e.g. smart-card
Patent Assignee: GREENE S B (GREE-I); MURPHY P E P (MURP-I); GREENE S
(GREE-I)

Inventor: GREENE S B; MURPHY P E P; GREENE S
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AU 9527464	A	19960115	AU 9527464	A	19950621	199620
EP 781476	A1	19970702	EP 95922636	A	19950621	199731
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AU 686825	B	19980212	AU 9527464	A	19950621	199814
JP 10502225	W	19980224	WO 95GB1462	A	19950621	199818
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US 20020133816	A1	20020919	US 98219033	A	19981223	200264
			US 2002120128	A	20020410	
CN 1155952	A	19970730	CN 95194709	A	19950621	200375
EP 781476	B1	20040616	EP 95922636	A	19950621	200439
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DE 69533163	E	20040722	DE 95633163	A	19950621	200450
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Data collection system w.r.t. received transmitted programme material
 ...
 ...comprises collection units distributed to remote participants, contg.
 device e.g. switch for registering response data on e.g. smart-card
 ...Abstract (Basic): A data collection system records information
 concerning transmitted material, **received** by a participant, using a
 remote collection unit (20). This unit includes a processor (21) and
 hand-held **switch** unit (28). The transmitted programme material
 includes coded data on TV **picture** lines 7-12, which is passed to data
 control 27...
 ...During viewing of e.g. transmitted advertisements, a participant
 depresses **switch** 37. Coded data from lines 7-12, unit identification
 and clock-time of viewing are...
 ...removable smart-card (30). This is removed and despatched to a central
 office for retrieving **stored** data when full. Data is cross-referenced
 with participant **personal** data for **building** up a viewing database
 ...
 ...1-12 weeks, with associated benefit value awarded to participant, along
 with system protection from **operational** abuse...
 ...Title Terms: **RECEIVE** ;

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**Teleconference system with TV monitors - has controller responsive to
 display switching information transmitted from video appts. to read
 display control information stored in memory**

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... controller responsive to display switching information transmitted from video appts. to read display control information stored in memory

...Abstract (Basic): display switching information transmitted from the video transmitting appts. to read the display control information stored in the control information memory. The controller sequentially reads the video information from the memory...

...ADVANTAGE - Copes with moving **image**, i.e. not just mainly static **image** of other conference **room** or chamber. Resolution is high enough to allow **individual** characters to be read on transmitted document without requiring expert to **operate** transmitting appts. in addition to presenter...

...Abstract (Equivalent): A teleconference system comprising a video transmitting apparatus (10) and a video **receiving** apparatus (30) between which a video signal is transmitted, the video **receiving** apparatus (30) comprising (a) display means (38) for displaying a video information (b) video memory...

...the plurality of items of video information transmitted from the video transmitting apparatus (10) and **stored** in the video memory means (35,40,43) are to be displayed so as to...

...switching information transmitted from the video transmitting apparatus (10) to read the display control information **stored** in the control information memory means (34) and sequentially reading the video information from the...

...the display means (38) whereby subsequent items of video information are used to form subsequent **images** on the display in accordance with the desired scenario...

...Abstract (Equivalent): a display data selection device for selecting display data to be displayed, and first scenario **storage** memory means containing scenario code data representative of an order in which said display data...

...a data **receiving** apparatus including display means for displaying display data, second scenario **storage** memory means for storing therein said scenario code data transmitted from said data transmitting apparatus...

...a display switching signal transmitted from said data transmitting apparatus in accordance with a switching **operation** executed by a user for reading said scenario code data **stored** in said second scenario **storage** memory means and for sequentially reading said display data from said data memory means in...

...Title Terms: **SWITCH** ;

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Selectively operated image storage appts. - scans document for storage section by section, then stores only different parts of similar document

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GB 2147766	A	19850515	GB 8424816	A	19841002	198520
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Selectively operated image storage appts...

...scans document for storage section by section, then stores only different parts of similar document

...Abstract (Basic): Apparatus for storing and reproducing **images** or documents using scanning equipment for the original documents, uses a **storage** unit and a print-out unit for producing copies of the **stored** information. Each document is divided up into sections which are **stored individually**, and after a complete copy has been **stored**, only different parts of a similar document are **stored**, avoiding duplication of the **stored** sections...

...commands for the signals corresponding to the revised parts of the original to control their **storage** position, after a comparison has been made. The scanning device is an charge coupled device. A **push button** unit is **operated** to control the portions to be printed...

...ADVANTAGE - **Storage room** is saved...

...Abstract (Equivalent): The **image** processing device has a data memory **receiving** the **image** data obtained by scanning an original, with selected **image** elements extracted from the memory and combined to provide a new **image**. The **image** signals are supplied to the memory via a processing circuit (3) which arranges the data signals in sub groups corresponding to different **image** areas of the original...

...a corrected original with the sub group signals of the unchanged original to allow the **stored** data to be updated...

...Abstract (Equivalent): A **picture image** file device comprising: an input section for scanning documents and for generating **picture image** signals corresponding to said scanned documents; a signal **storage** section; a signal processing section for **receiving** the **picture image** signals corresponding to an original document for grouping the original document **picture image** signals into original document subgroup signals corresponding to sections of the original documents and for transferring the original document subgroup signals to the signal **storage** section for **storage** therein in a complete document file; and an instruction entering device for entering instructions, the entered instructions including an instruction for controlling the signal processing section to **receive** the **picture image** signals corresponding to a revised document having portions identical with the original document and portions different therefrom,

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IMAGE -MONITORING DEVICE AND METHOD THEREFOR

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IMAGE -MONITORING DEVICE AND METHOD THEREFOR

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To prevent the erroneous **detection** of a brightness variable area on a road surface that is caused by the shadows of **persons walking**, etc., and to **detect** even the **walkers** standing, without updating the background data by **detecting** the objects of different heights with respect to a set plane to decide the positions of **walkers** by means of plural TV cameras.

SOLUTION: The **image** which are inputted by plural TV cameras $1i$ ($1 \leq i \leq n$) are **stored** in an **image** memories $2i$, and plural **image** projection parts $3i$ project the **images** on a plane that is set on the basis of a prescribed coordinate system which...

... from among (n) pieces of projection data which are inputted from the parts $3i$. A **comparison** parts $5j$ ($1 \leq j \leq m$) extract the areas set at the same position...

... lightnesses different from those projected data. Then an integration part 7 integrates the position information **person walkers** which are obtained from the extraction parts $6i$ respectively and then decides the positions, numbers, **moving** directions and **moving** speeds of the **walkers** in the entire monitoring areas of the coordinate system.

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Computer-aided clothes designing system - receives data describing **fabric characteristics**, e.g. weave pattern, friction, average fibres per strand, strand wear characteristics, and elasticity, fabric colours and patterns, and personal characteristics e.g. dimensions and complexion

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... receives data describing fabric characteristics, e.g. weave pattern, friction, average fibres per strand, strand wear characteristics, and elasticity, fabric colours and patterns, and personal characteristics e.g. dimensions and complexion

...Abstract (Basic): Digitised photographs of an individual are mapped over a three-dimensional image tailored to that individual's dimensions. Garment models are placed over the three-dimensional images, which reflect the input fabric characteristics and colour patterns. The fit is tailored to match the three-dimensional model, and shown graphically on the computer display device...

...The three-dimensional model moves as the individual would move, such as raising the arms, bending, walking, or running. Motion inputs may come from prerecorded manoeuvre data, or user input through such means as computer keyboard, mouse, joystick, or other interaction devices such as body position sensors worn by the user to accurately input individual range of motion data. Friction between the individual and the fabric is monitored, as well as between areas of fabric rubbing on fabric...

...can be applied to adjust for the binding. The fabric model is affected by the motion through stretching and friction. Fabric conditions, such as temperature, moisture content, foreign objects, and fabric...

...s response may be observed as the three dimensional model moves through normal ranges of motion. Fabric characteristics such as colour and pattern may be modified dynamically, so that the user may observe different garments. The three dimensional model can be made to move in slow motion, real-time, or faster than real-time to observe results. After the user is satisfied with the garment design, it is stored in computer memory, and can be presented in the form of a printed pattern to...

...Title Terms: RECEIVE ;

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Distance detecting apparatus for vehicle - includes window setting device for setting distance measuring windows on basis of one of two image signals generated by pair of video cameras
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Distance detecting apparatus for vehicle...

...includes window setting device for setting distance measuring windows on basis of one of two image signals generated by pair of video cameras

...Abstract (Basic): The distance **detecting** apparatus measures the distance to a target preceding vehicle and **detects** obstacles such as an intervening vehicle. The apparatus includes a window setting device for setting...

...distance measuring windows (21-25) on a screen on the basis of one of two **image** signals generated by a pair of video cameras (5,6...

...Switch (14) sets an **image** following window enclosing the preceding vehicle to be followed. A CPU measures the distance to...

...well as the distance window as well as the distance to an object in the **image** following window...

...Abstract (Equivalent): A distance **detecting** apparatus for a vehicle comprising: (a) a pair of optical **sensing** means (1, 3, 5; 2, 6, 4) each for optically **sensing** a plurality of objects (31, 32) and generating a **corresponding image** signal; (b) first memory means (9, 10) for storing the output **image** signal from one of said optical **sensing** means (1, 3, 5) as a first **image** signal; (c) second memory means (11) for storing the output **image** signal from the other of said optical **sensing** means (2, 6, 4) as a second **image** signal; (d) a display (15) with a screen (20) for displaying the **images** of said objects (31, 32) as sensed by said optical **sensing** means (1, 3, 5; 2, 6, 4), window setting means (13, 14) for successively setting an **image** -following window (26) on the screen (20) of said display (5) at a location enclosing...

...predetermined locations on the screen of said display (15); (e) distance calculating means (12) for **comparing** the **images** of said objects (31, 32) in said respective distance-measuring windows (21-25) **stored** in said first memory means (9, 10) with the **corresponding images** of said object **stored** in said second memory means (11) so as to **detect** deviations therebetween, said distance calculating means (12) **individually** calculating the distance to an object (31, 34) in each distance-measuring window (21-25) based on the calculating deviations; (f) **image** -following window updating means for successively **comparing** at predetermined time intervals an **image** in said **image** -following

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FOCUSING POINT DETECTOR

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FOCUSING POINT DETECTOR
...JAPIO CLASS: Photography & Cinematography)

ABSTRACT

... signal for distance measurement is led out of the shift register part successively. When the face 7 if a person is put in focus and long-distance mountains 8 and intermediate- distance houses 9 are all image -formed on a photodetection part, only the output signal of the image formation of the face 7 is employed in the stage of calculation of a computer 4 and other output signals of the image formation of the mountains 8 and houses 9 are omitted; and the calculated distance measurement signal is converted into a motor operating signal through the operation of a focus position switch 5 and a motor 6 for focal-length distance control is driven until a optical photographic system and an optical distance measurement system enter in-focus states.

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Monitoring system for banks - uses input unit to pass command, induction unit to generate sound and images and recording unit to register image of person 's face in response to these disturbances

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... uses input unit to pass command, induction unit to generate sound and images and recording unit to register image of person 's face in response to these disturbances

...Abstract (Basic): The monitoring system has a camera (13) equipped with multiple push - button switches (11). An induction signal generator

(15) is installed near the monitoring camera. When one of the switches is turned 'ON' the corresp. command signal is **entered** through an OR gate (16) to a control device (12). The command is then passed to the induction signal generator which then generates sound and **images** .

...

...The camera **photographs** the **person's face** which turns in response to the sound and **images** enabling direct recording (14) of features...

...USE - Criminal investigation and civil affairs incidents as proof to **detect photographed person** .

...Title Terms: **IMAGE** ;

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Data recovery device for laser printer - counts number of pages remaining in given area of feed path and uses information to control printer

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AU 637158	B	19930520	AU 9066548	A	19901112	199327
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AU 639396	B	19930722	AU 9066538	A	19901112	199336
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DETAILED DESCRIPTION

[Detailed Description of the Invention]

[0001]

[Field of the Invention] This invention relates to the monitoring system equipped with the surveillance camera.

[0002]

[Description of the Prior Art] Conventionally, the surveillance camera currently installed in the bank etc. is installed in the position in a bank so that a counter and a lobby may be photoed. The surveillance camera may be installed also near [ATM (ATM), a cash dispenser (CD), etc.]. Anyway, the video signal or image data showing the person photoed by the surveillance camera is recorded on recording devices, such as a magnetic tape and semiconductor memory, and can be used for criminal investigation of a detective, a civil case, etc., proof, etc.

[0003] Though such a conventional surveillance camera is photoing the site when a certain incident occurs since it is fixed to the usually high location, it is rare to photo the face of the person in connection with an incident vividly from the front face. Therefore, it was difficult to use the image obtained from the surveillance camera as a decisive or convincing proof about the incident, or data.

[0004]

[Description of the Invention] This invention aims at offering the monitoring system which can photo the face of the person in the photography field of a surveillance camera.

[0005] The monitoring system by this invention so that the inside of the space which should be supervised may be photoed With the input means for ordering it the timing about photography with the camera and the above-mentioned camera which were adjusted and installed, and the above-mentioned camera It was prepared in the contiguity location of a record means to record the signal or data showing the photoed image, and the above-mentioned camera, and has an induction signal generation means to answer the command given from the above-mentioned input means, and to generate physical induction signals, such as a sound and light.

[0006] The space (photography field of a camera) which should be supervised with the above-mentioned camera may always be photoed continuously, and a photograph may be taken for every fixed time amount. When a command is given from the above-mentioned input means especially in the case of the latter, a camera is controlled to perform photography actuation. Moreover, photography with a camera is not usually performed, but only when a command is given from the above-mentioned input means, you may control to perform photography actuation to a camera. Anyway, when a command is given from the above-mentioned input means, photography of at least 1 piece (preferably two or more pieces) is performed by the above-mentioned camera.

[0007] The video signal or image data obtained by photography with the above-mentioned camera is recorded on magnetic tapes, such as a video tape, a magnetic disk, or semiconductor memory.

[0008] When the situation which should be photoed with surveillance cameras, such as an incident, occurs, the above-mentioned input means is operated by a bank clerk, an official in charge, a hitcher on, a guard, a salesclerk, and other men, and a command generates it from the above-mentioned input means

by this actuation.

[0009] When according to the monitoring system of this invention the above-mentioned input means is operated and a command occurs, this will be answered, a sound, light, etc. will occur near the camera from the above-mentioned induction signal generation means, and attention of the person who is in the photography field of a camera will be attracted. Therefore, it is expectable that the person turns to the direction of a camera which a sound, light, etc. generated, i.e., the direction. If a person turns to the direction of a camera, the person's face can be photoed and recorded with a camera.

[0010] Thus, according to this invention, possibility that the face of the person who is in the photography field of a camera can be photoed from that transverse plane increases very much, and the image information which is useful to criminal investigation, proof, etc. can be obtained.

[0011]

[Example] The example which installed the monitoring system by this invention in the store of a bank is explained below.

[0012] Drawing 1 is the top view showing the arrangement configuration in the store of a bank. Drawing 2 is the block diagram showing the electric configuration of the monitoring system by this invention.

[0013] In drawing 1, the surveillance camera 13 is installed in the high location of the proper place in the store of a bank, for example, the back. The visual field of a camera 13, a focal distance, and light exposure are beforehand adjusted so that the inside of a counter 21, a chair 23, and the lobby 22 that the table 24 grade set may be photoed with a camera 13. You may make it make photography of the space which installed two or more cameras, and divided the space in the store of a bank into plurality, and was divided into each camera share.

[0014] Induction signal generation equipment 15 is formed in the contiguity location of the installation part of a surveillance camera 13. This equipment 15 generates the physical signal of the sound in which the person who is going to cause trouble is likely to attract attention, light (in the case [Especially] of Nighttime), and others. This equipment 15 can also consist of a doll arranged free [migration] and a driving gear to which this doll is moved.

[0015] Furthermore, as for the location and metaphor that the bank clerk in the store of a bank works, the push-button switch 11 is formed in the inside of a counter 21, the desk (illustration abbreviation), and the terminal (illustration abbreviation). Two or more push-button switches 11 are arranged preferably. When an incident occurs, this push-button switch 11 is pushed by a bank clerk, the guard, etc. The push-button switch pushed on an emergency and this push-button switch 11 may be made to serve a double purpose.

[0016] With reference to drawing 2, the switch signal from two or more push-button switches 11 is inputted into a control unit 12 through the OR gate 16.

[0017] The video signal or image data to which a recording apparatus 14 expresses the image photoed with the camera 13 including record media, such as a magnetic tape, semiconductor memory (for example, memory card), a magnetic disk, and an optical disk, is recorded on this record medium.

[0018] A camera 13, a recording device 14, and induction signal generation equipment 15 are controlled by the control unit 12. a control device 12 is continuous to a recording device 14 in the video signal or image data showing the image which the camera 13 usually photoed -- or -- being intermittent (with fixed period) -- it controls to record.

[0019] Moreover, when either of two or more push-button switches 11 is pushed and a switch signal inputs through the OR gate 16, a control unit 12 makes induction signal generation equipment 15 generate a sound, either of the light, or both.

[0020] Therefore, if a bank clerk pushes one of the push-button switches 11 when a certain incident occurs in the store of a bank, a sound or light will occur from induction signal generation equipment 15. Since the nerve is sensitive, the person who generated the incident will turn in the direction of a camera 13 which a sound or light generated, i.e., the direction.

[0021] Since the camera 13 is photoing the inside of the store of a bank, the person's face can be photoed from a transverse plane, and the video signal or image data which expresses the person's face with a recording apparatus 14 will be recorded.

[0022] When the video signal or image data outputted to a recording apparatus 14 from a camera 13 a fixed period is recorded and a switch signal is inputted from a switch 11, may be made to shorten the photography period of a camera 13 with a control unit 12, a photograph is made to take continuously, and you may make it make the obtained video signal or image data record on a recording apparatus 14. It also becomes being able to obtain the generated detailed data of an incident by this.

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CLAIMS

[Claim(s)]

[Claim 1] The monitoring system had the induction signal-generation means are prepared in the contiguity location of the record means record the signal or the data showing the image photoed with the input means for ordering it the timing about photography with the camera and the above-mentioned camera which were adjusted and installed, and the above-mentioned camera, and an above-mentioned camera so that the inside of the space which should supervise photos, answer to the command given from an above-mentioned input means, and generate physical induction signals, such as a sound and light.

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US 96670257 A 19960620
 JP 3133310 B2 20010205 JP 9098223 A 19900411 200110

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 9098225 A 19900411; JP 89293712 A 19891110; JP 90105642 A 19900420; JP 9098226 A 19900411; JP 9098221 A 19900411; JP 9093659 A 19900409; JP 9098222 A 19900411; JP 9098224 A 19900411; JP 89149976 A 19890613; JP 90111210 A 19900426

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AU 635685	B			G06F-003/12	Previous Publ. patent AU 9066542
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AU 637291	B			G03G-015/16	Previous Publ. patent AU 9066545
AU 637292	B			G03G-015/20	Previous Publ. patent AU 9066546
AU 639396	B			G01F-023/20	Previous Publ. patent AU 9066538
GB 2238018	B			G03G-015/00	
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GB 2238020	B		2	G03G-015/00	
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GB 2238019	B			G03G-015/16	
DE 4035716	C2		15	B41J-011/42	
AU 649236	B			B41J-017/36	Previous Publ. patent AU 9066541
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...Abstract (Basic): The printing **operation** is controlled such that one of the data stores from which the data is read...

...Abstract (Equivalent): The **entered** length of the **individual** sheets is used by the exposure control to expose the photoconductive element for each new sheet and to control the **image** transfer from the photoconductive element to the recording web...

...The monitoring system has a sensor (62) **operated** by the container (60) such that a first signal is transmitted to a signal unit (not shown) when the container (60) is missing and a second signal when the **receiver** (60) is full. The sensor (62) comprises a cranked lever with arms (62a, 62b) which...

...A mask (62a) interrupts a light source/ **receiver** assembly (63) except in the extreme positions of the crank (62) corresponding to container (60)...

...USE/ADVANTAGE - For vertically removable used toner container. Is of simple construction, is reliable in **operation** and economic to...

...Abstract (Equivalent): A storage vessel **detecting** mechanism installed in a main apparatus, comprising:- a storage vessel detachably installed

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AUTOMATIC VENDING MACHINE WITH PURCHASING OPERATION ACCELERATING FUNCTION

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IWAO HIROYUKI
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APPL. NO.: 10-048966 [JP 9848966]
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AUTOMATIC VENDING MACHINE WITH PURCHASING OPERATION ACCELERATING FUNCTION

INVENTOR(s): TSUKAMOTO KOJI
IWAO HIROYUKI

ABSTRACT

... on a frequently selling article which is frequency utilized by many customers thereby shortening purchasing operation time per one customer and facilitating purchasing operability.
SOLUTION: At the time of purchasing an...

... the customer are specified and light-displayed to allow the customer to execute key selecting operation for select- operate a desired ticket from among these. In this case, the purchasing operation accelerating function of a frequently issued ticket is provided so that when these is a ...

... ticket among the plural light-displayed keys 14, the displaying luminance of the purchase selecting button 14a of the frequently issued ticket is improved so as to distinguish from the other...

... displaying luminance of the key 14a of the frequently issued ticket for emphasizing, the purchasing operating time per one customer is reduced and purchasing operability is facilitated to improve service.

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NUCLEAR MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC DEVICE

PUB. NO.: 62-293179 [JP 62293179 A]
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INVENTOR(s): IWAO HIROFUMI
APPLICANT(s): TOSHIBA CORP [000307] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP (Japan)
APPL. NO.: 61-137479 [JP 86137479]
FILED: June 13, 1986 (19860613)
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 710, Vol. 12, No. 185, Pg. 40, May 31, 1988 (19880531)

INVENTOR(s): IWAO HIROFUMI

ABSTRACT

...61c across an insulating layer 41b. Further, the collimator device 41 is provided with a **switch** 91 which **operates** when contacting the detector 3. While the collimator device 41 is placed on the detector 3, the warning circuit **operates** by the closure of the **switch** 91 and when the clamping of the screw 61 enters the specific state, the conductive...

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XRPX Acc No: N02-468537

Image comparison apparatus attached to door compares at least one of the several acquired images of photograph object with previously memorized registration images when check start button is pressed

Patent Assignee: OMRON CORP (OMRO); OMRON KK (OMRO); IWAO H (IWAO-I);
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Inventor: IWAO H ; MIICHI K

Number of Countries: 004 Number of Patents: 005

Patent Family:

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US 20020090116	A1	20020711	US 2001974898	A	20011012	200263	B
CN 1355502	A	20020626	CN 2001136527	A	20011015	200263	
GB 2371908	A	20020807	GB 200124571	A	20011012	200263	
JP 2002123824	A	20020426	JP 2000312920	A	20001013	200263	
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GB 2371908	A			A61B-005/117	
JP 2002123824	A		8	G06T-001/00	
GB 2371908	B			A61B-005/117	

... the several acquired images of photograph object with previously memorized registration images when check start button is pressed

Inventor: IWAO H ...

... MIICHI K

Abstract (Basic):

... during a period from the detection of the existence of the photograph object to a **press** of a check start **button** (18). A comparing unit compares at least one of the acquired image with the previously memorized registration images when the **button** for confirmation checking is pressed.

... when a check poor image is produced at the time of check, hence the recheck **operation** is eliminated and the check processing is done efficiently and accurately in short time...

...Check start **button** (18...

...Title Terms: **BUTTON** ;

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008890329 **Image available**
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XRPX Acc No: N92-013358

Organ diagnostic apparatus for nuclear medicine - combines three
different imaging processes in one appts. to administer radioactive
medicine

Patent Assignee: TOSHIBA KK (TOKE)

Inventor: IWAO H

Number of Countries: 002 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

Patent No	Kind	Date	Applicat No	Kind	Date	Week
EP 465952	A	19920115	EP 91110725	A	19910628	199203 B
US 5206512	A	19930427	US 91723295	A	19910628	199318
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 90173076 A 19900629

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US 5206512	A	12		G01T-001/164	
EP 465952	B1 E	14		G01T-001/164	
					Designated States (Regional): FR

Inventor: IWAO H

...Abstract (Equivalent): A diagnostic apparatus for nuclear medicine, in
which a detection **operation** is performed from outside of a living
body by a detecting portion constituted by at...

...least two (13B, 13C) of said three detecting pairs (13A, 13B, 13C) so as
to **switch** from the configuration, in which the three detecting
surfaces, to another configuration, in which two...

...Abstract (Equivalent): The single photon emission CT apparatus has a
detection **operation** performed from outside of a living body by a
detecting portion constituted by at least...

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INSTALLATION DRAWING MANAGEMENT DEVICE

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APPLICANT(s): FUJITSU LTD [000522] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP
(Japan)
APPL. NO.: 05-186572 [JP 93186572]
FILED: July 29, 1993 (19930729)

...JAPIO CLASS: **Building**); 45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING

ABSTRACT

...CONSTITUTION: A processor 8 **takes** out **picture** preparation information 5 of the drawing type specified by an installation drawing database 1 corresponding...

... directed graphic is outputted to the directed position on the display device. The processor 8 **accesses** the data base 1 for each installation of an installation key 3 corresponding to the...

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Login system for computer system - has pattern matching decision unit that commands login process when concurrence and disparity of photography image from charge coupled device camera and image stored in database are in accord

Patent Assignee: MEIDENSHA CORP (MEID)
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
Patent Family:

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JP 11096120	A	19990409	JP 97259482	A	19970925	199925 B

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Patent Details:

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JP 11096120	A	4	G06F-015/00	

...Abstract (Basic): stored in a database (5) are in accord. DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The charge coupled device camera **takes** the **photograph** of the **accessories** which a user can carry. The charge coupled device camera outputs the still picture image...

...ADVANTAGE - Performs a high level security control since the **accessory** of a user is utilized as a key login object. Enables **building** the login system without too much cost since only fundamental equipments are used. DESCRIPTION OF...

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Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
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...ADVANTAGE - Performs a high level security control since the **accessory** of a user is utilized as a key login object. Enables **building** the login system without too much cost since only fundamental equipments are used. DESCRIPTION OF...

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014253724 **Image available**
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XRPX Acc No: N02-054859

Secrecy cover for matrix type key pad used in e.g. automatic teller machines , includes casement with medial cavity sized to fit into matrix key pad and key orifices with operating mechanisms corresponding to keys

Patent Assignee: WHITNEY G R (WHIT-I)

Inventor: WHITNEY G R

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 6320963	B1	11	H04M-001/00	

Secrecy cover for matrix type key pad used in e.g. automatic teller machines , includes casement with medial cavity sized to fit into matrix key pad and key orifices with operating mechanisms corresponding to keys

Abstract (Basic):

... casement (11) with medial cavity (29) sized such that it fits into 3x3 matrix of **key pad** (10). Three spacedly adjacent **operator key orifices** (30) movably extend from the cavity through the casement top **face** . **Operating** mechanisms (13) are contained in the cavity in space between each **key pad** keys and key orifices allowing selective depression of one key in row or column.

... For shielding matrix type pressure **operated** key pads used in automatic **teller machines** (ATMs), touch tone telephones installed in public places for business transactions...

...The secrecy cover in a single **operational** sequence allows entry of up to three sequential numbers on a matrix of keys in...

... **Key pad** (10...

... **Operating** mechanism (13

...Title Terms: **OPERATE** ;

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Automatic teller machine (ATM) cassette security apparatus

Patent Assignee: SILER B (SILE-I)

Inventor: SILER B

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 97964248 A 19971104

Patent Details:

Patent No	Kind	Lan	Pg	Main IPC	Filing Notes
US 5915802	A		10	E05B-065/46	

Automatic teller machine (ATM) cassette security apparatus

Abstract (Basic):

... b) within interior (12) of ATM cabinet (10). The bracket includes security key lock (32) **operating** a **latch** (34) to engage keeper aperture (42) formed in flange plate (50) projecting orthogonally from **face** plate of lock bar (40), with upper hook (46) resting on front wall (44) of...
 ... **latch** (34)

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XRPX Acc No: N94-115593

Keypad sub-assembly for automatic teller machine - includes moulded body with recesses for receiving keys and separated by compressible sheet from front plate, and membrane switch assembly fixed to rear surface

Patent Assignee: DEWHURST PLC (DEWH-N)

Inventor: DEWHURST A

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

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GB 2272573	A	19940518	GB 9221733	A	19921016	199418 B
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Patent Details:

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GB 2272573	B		1	H01H-013/70	

**Keypad sub-assembly for automatic teller machine - ...
 ...with recesses for receiving keys and separated by compressible sheet from front plate, and membrane switch assembly fixed to rear surface**

...Abstract (Basic): member (30) which defines recesses (32) each receiving a respectively key (22) having a key **face** (6) and a stem (23). Each key (22) is biased to a rest position by...

...37) which clicks overcentre when the key (22) is depressed to provide feel to the **operator**. The spring (37) is held in each recess (32) by a key capture plate (38...

...material interposed between the front plate (4) and the body member (30), and a membrane **switch** assembly (58, 60) fixed to the rear surface of the sub-assembly. each key stem...

...ADVANTAGE - Sub-assembly can be formed into completed **keypad** assembly

by addition of appropriate switches and marked keys, thus eliminating need of knowing final function of **keypad** assembly including required inscriptions on keys, before starting manufacturing...

...Abstract (Equivalent): A sub-assembly for a **keypad** assembly as defined herein, the sub-assembly comprising a front plate having a plurality of ...

...and a body member arranged to be connected to said front plate to form a **keypad** body, wherein said **keypad** body has a rear surface which, in the **keypad** assembly, is adjacent to the pressure operable **switch** means thereof, wherein said **keypad** body comprises a plurality of recesses each aligned with a respective aperture in the front...

...each said recess having a bore therein which opens into the rear surface of said **keypad** body, and further comprising key engaging means arranged in each said recess and arranged to engage and capture a respective key inserted into said recess such that the key **face** is arranged to be received in the corresponding aperture and the key stem extends in...

...compressible material is interposed between said front plate and said body member to seal said **keypad** body, said sealing sheet having a plurality of holes therein through which the stems of...

...Title Terms: **SWITCH** ;

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007021960
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XRPX Acc No: N87-016614

Document, esp. currency, dispensing apparatus - has removable container and information-indicating buttons associated with container representing data concerning its contents

Patent Assignee: DIEBOLD INC (DIEB-N); INTERBOLD TECHNOLOGIES INC (INTE-N); INTERBOLD (INTE-N)

Inventor: ALLISON T B; EASTMAN J M; GRAEF H T; NEWTON K H

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JP 62503165	W	19871217	JP 86503636	A	19860528	198805	
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CA 1276304	C	19901113				199051	
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AU 665390	B	19960104	AU 9065688	A	19901031	199608
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... has removable container and information-indicating buttons associated with container representing data concerning its contents

...Abstract (Basic): currency notes (30) or other documents such as traveller's cheques to be dispensed. The buttons (25) are of

characteristics; characterised...

...that the said information indicating means comprises a plurality of holes (26) adapted to receive **buttons** (25) therein and spring-loaded **buttons** (25) therein and spring-loaded **buttons** (25) selectively slidably mounted in said holes (26), in that said first condition is the presence and said second condition is the absence of a **button** extending from a hole, in that the sensing means comprise actuators (128) associated with electrical switches (30), each actuator (128) being, in an **operating** position, in alignment with a respective hole (6) so as to contact the spring-loaded **buttons** (25) extending therefrom when present, and in that the arrangement of the **buttons** (25) in the holes (26) is changeable according to different characteristics of said documents

...Abstract (Equivalent): A canister (10) holds a stack of documents (30) and has a **face** plate (24). The **face** plate (24) includes **buttonholes** (26). Spring loaded **buttons** (25) are distributed among **buttonholes** (26), the **buttons** (25) are distributed among **buttonholes** (26), the arrangement of the **buttons** representing items of data such as ownership of the canister, canister serial number, and document...

...in the ATM, the canister exchanges identifying information with the ATM via the arrangement of **buttons**. A computer, which controls the **operation** of the ATM, uses this information to do such things as adjust the **operation** of the ATM to conform to the type, denomination and character of the documents in...

...content of document canisters such as those used to hold supplies of documents in Automatic **Teller Machines** (ATMs). (19pp...

...content of document canisters such as those used to hold supplies of documents in Automated **Teller Machines** (ATMs). includes a canister (10) holding a stack of documents (30) and having a **face** plate (24). **Face** plate (24) includes **buttonholes** (26). Spring loaded **buttons** (25) are distributed among **buttonholes** (26); the arrangement of the **buttons** representing items of data such as ownership of the canister, canister serial number, and document...

...such as the type, denomination, amount, and character of the documents in the canister. In **operating** position, canister (10) is located in at ATM in contact with the picker mechanism which...

...The picker mechanism incorporates a **switch** plate which is adjacent to **face** plate (24) when canister (10) and picker mechanism are in **operating** position. **Switch** plate incorporates a plurality of **switch** actuators, the locations of which correspond to the locations of **buttonholes** (26). Each **switch** actuator is associated with an electrical **switch** which changes its electrical condition whenever its associated **switch** actuator is depressed. Electrical switches are connected to a computer which controls the **operation** of the ATM, as well as stores and processes data relating to ATM **operation**. The computer is programmed to associate the arrangement of **buttons** with the items of data represented by the arrangement. (19pp)c

...Title Terms: **BUTTON** ;

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Printing individual identification on depository envelopes - has transport mechanism with detector determining envelope contour and unit detecting envelope is beneath print head

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...Abstract (Basic): between the floating platen (28) and the fixed conveyor (26) until it engages the probe **face** (129) **operating** a slotted optical **switch** (136) which prevents attempted printing on an unsatisfactory contour...

...portion of the envelop (142) is beneath the print head (120). The print head then **operates** to print identification information on the envelope as it passes under the **face** (126...

...USE/ADVANTAGE - Automatic **Teller machine** . Where printing is determined to be impractical at normal location due to contour of contents...

...Abstract (Equivalent): on a carriage plate (110) are provided. The plate is floatably mounted inside an automatic **teller machine** (**ATM**) so that the shoe tracks a depository envelope surface which is to accept printing as...

...surface a distance in advance of the shoe. The probe is connected to an electrical **switch** which interrupts **operation** of the head whenever the contour of the envelope between the areas tracked by the...

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DETECTION FOR BAR-SHAPED OBJECT

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DETECTION FOR BAR-SHAPED OBJECT

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ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To **detect** surely bar-shaped objects, which are scattered in all directions, independently of the illumination state of them by scanning bar-shaped objects in four directions **individually** and using an optimum standard pattern in each scanning direction...

...CONSTITUTION: The input **picture** where **plural** bar-shaped objects are scattered is projected onto a monitor 2, and brightness patterns in...

...direction at 45 deg. to the right on the picture on the basis of the **moving** direction of a cursor 2a are taken out by a brightness pattern taking-out circuit...

...inputted to a standard pattern generating circuit, and a standard pattern is generated and is **stored** in a **storage** area **corresponding** to the scanning direction in a standard pattern memory 9. The picture where bar-shaped objects are scattered are scanned in four directions **individually**, and bar-shaped objects are **detected** on the basis of **comparison** between the brightness pattern, which is taken out in every scanning, and the standard pattern.

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Computer based multiple digital shape objects combining method for use during digital image processing of bank checks, documents, business correspondence

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... **shape objects combining method for use during digital image processing of bank checks, documents, business correspondence**

Abstract (Basic):

... The **movement** of pixels within the boundary formed around the digital objects is allowed during examination of...

... objects. When two pixels are within boundary, adjacent to examined pixel than that pixel, is **detected**. The examination of each pixel contained within the boundary, is carried out repeatedly until location...

...For identification or classification of **stored** database, non-alpha numeric data i.e., digitized representation of sound, pictures, documents etc., during digital image processing of bank checks, documents, business **correspondence**, employment records including **employee** pictures, medical information including diagnostic images such as X-rays, pictures and blueprints of building...

...Simplifies **storage**, recognition classification and retrieval of digital **images** by combining **multiple image** shapes properly. Facilitates to generate shape **matching templates** for identification or classification of **stored** database etc., thereby provides low level, heuristic support for database applications requiring fast image identification...

...Title Terms: **CORRESPOND**

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Multicolour electrostatic printer or plotting appts. - has repeated charge application and toner processing controlled by alignment track

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